

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2212 - SB 2231

February 15, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Revises current law regarding respiratory care practice to clearly define who is to be licensed and to require nationally accredited educational programs. Also defines the process for renewing licenses and outlines the offenses calling for disciplinary action. Requires all persons licensed prior to 1993 to pass a national examination by January 1, 2004 to remain a Registered Respiratory Therapist.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "Davenport" clearly legible.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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